a multipronged approach, to contain cross-border infiltration in Jammu and Kashmir, which includes, *inter-alia,* strengthening of border management and multi-tiered and multimodal deployment along International border/Line of control and near the ever changing infiltration routes, construction of border/Line of Control and near the ever changing infiltration routes, construction of border fencing, improved technology, weapons and equipment for security forces, improved intelligence and operational coordination and synergising intelligence flow to check infiltration and pro-active action against the terrorists within the State. The counter infiltration efforts are reviewed periodically at various levels in the State Government including the two Unified Headquarters headed by the Chief Minister of Jammu and Kashmir and in the Central Government.

Indo-EU Summit

*415. SHRI KALRAJ MISHRA: Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether a joint action plan was adopted during the sixth Indo-Europen Union Summit in September this year for seeking greater access to EU markets for Indian products and services and for further economic cooperation with European Union countries;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the action since taken in the light thereof, to remove trade barriers and providing FDI?

THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI KAMAL NATH): (a) An India-European Union Strategic Partnership Joint Action Plan was adopted at the 6th India-European Union Summit held in New Delhi on 7th September, 2005 which provides, *inter alia*, for enhancing economic policy dialogue and cooperation and developing trade and investment.

(b) and (c) A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

Statement

The Joint Action Plan Regarding Indo-EU Summit

The Joint Action Plan, *inter alia*, proposes the setting up of a High Level Trade Group to explore ways and means to deepen and widen bilateral trade and investment relationship, setting up of Joint working Groups, including one on Sanitary and Phytosanitary issues and Technical Barriers to Trade, cooperation in WTO matters, holding a business Round Table together with the EU-India Business Summit, etc. Commerce Secretary and Director General Trade, European Commission have since been identified as co-Chair of the High Level Trade Group and preliminary interactions have been held.

FDI in tabacco sector

*416. SHRI ANAND SHARMA: Will the Minister of COMMERCE and INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received any proposals from tabacco MNCs for FDI in the tabacco sector; and

(b) if so, Government's response to such proposals and the State Policy on FDI in tobacco units?

THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI KAMAL NATH): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) On public health considerations, Government is not encouraging Foreign Direct Investment in tabacco sector.

India's 6 point strategy for China

*417. SHRI MOOLCHAND MEENA:
DR. T. SUBBARAMI REDDY:

Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether India plans 6-point strategy for China to dent in Chinese market through a well designed action plan aimed at diversifying export